In the Specification:

On page 1, please amend the first paragraph as follows:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

~~This application is related to U.S. Patent Application No. __/_____, filed August ___,~~
~~2003 (Docket No. 2540-657).~~

<u>This application is related to U.S. Patent Application No. 10/632,098, filed August 1, 2003 (Docket No. 2540-657).</u>

On page 33, please delete all text after the following paragraph:

Modifications and substitutions to the present invention made by one of ordinary skill in the art are considered to be within the scope of the present invention, which is not to be limited except by the claims which follow.

~~What is claimed is:~~

~~1. A system comprising:~~

~~a workstation communicatively coupled to a network; and~~

~~a managed appliance communicatively coupled to the network;~~

~~wherein the workstation operatively locates the managed appliance across the network and operatively sets the IP configuration of the managed appliance across the network.~~

~~2. The system of claim 1, wherein the workstation causes the managed appliance to store an IP address as the IP address of the managed appliance.~~

~~3. The system of claim 2, wherein the managed appliance stores the IP address and uses the IP address for communication across the network.~~

4. The system of claim 1, wherein the managed appliance operatively communicates keyboard data, cursor control data, and video data between a plurality of computers and the network.

5. The system of claim 2, wherein the workstation causes the managed appliance to store a subnet mask as the subnet mask of the managed appliance.

6. The system of claim 2, wherein the IP address stored by the managed appliance is transmitted from the workstation to the managed appliance across the network using a communication protocol.